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THREE GIRLS INJURED IN CAR CRASH HERE

Three girls were hospitalized after a three-car crash on Highway 121, west of Haliburton, Friday night, which caused damage estimated at \$1,500 said Haliburton OPP.

Lindsay hospital authorities reported Joan Carpenter of 77 Melbourne Street West had been admitted to hospital with back injuries and abrasions and later released. Another girl, Sharon McKelvy, also of 77 Melbourne Street West, was reported to be in satisfactory condition in hospital with back injuries and abrasions.

The third girl, Valerie Hewitt of Minden is reported to have

a ruptured spleen, but is in satisfactory condition in Lindsay hospital.

Minden OPP said two of the vehicles involved were west bound on Highway 121, one was a pick-up truck operated by John Packard of Haliburton, the second car, owned by Gary Sawyer of Haliburton.

The third car, which had been eastbound, was operated by John Graham, 40, of Toronto, said police.

Police said the Sawyer vehicle attempted to pass the pick-up truck when the accident occurred.

Minden OPP Constable Dean Elliot investigated.

Water Safety Week June 5 - 11

Watch for the Posters in the Store windows, they will tell you in various ways, the value of a Red Cross Water Safety program. Calendars and Place Mats will also be used in the various stores and restaurants.

Practise water safety, and never swim alone.

Did you know, that unfortunately 321 people (including children), drowned in our Province last year. Unsupervised children 12 years and under accounted for 89 of these drownings.

Let us do something about it!

FIRST DRIVER EDUCATION CLASS RECEIVES CERTIFICATES

On Wednesday May 25th, the students of the first driver education class of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School were presented with their driving certificates from the Department of Education and Department of Transport.

Each student received a certificate, a card to carry in his wallet and a refund of seven dollars if he successfully completed the course. This course was conducted after school hours by Mr. Keller and Mr. Kaasalainen.

Corporal Tom Armitage of the Ontario Provincial Police presented an interesting topic regarding safe driving and presented the following students with their certificates.

Leslie Armstrong, Sally Baker, Suzanne Burk, Robert Burk, Earl Cook, Ralph Cooper, David Cowan, John Davidson, Larry Godfrey, Steven Hill, Scottie Moore, Sherida Nevelle, Andy Paul, Bonnie Prentice, Stephanie Pritchard, Pat Redner, Maxine Robertson, Woodward Smith, Roger Thomas, Sherral Schellenberg.

The guest speaker was thanked by Steven Hill on behalf of the entire group.

LET'S PLAY TIGER

Three big winners of the Tiger game in Minden, this past week have been reported by Jack Austin, from his Esso Service Station here.

The winners were Sterling Hewitt, Cecil Yearwood and Doug Pritchard, each won themselves a Transistor Radio. Congratulations fellows.

GRADUATED

Mr. David Stevens, of Minden, graduated on May 18th, from the University of Guelph with an Associate Diploma in Agriculture



from the Horticulture Option.

David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stevens, who operate the Beaverbrook Golf Club, here in Minden. David will spend the summer here, working on the course and running the Pro shop. Congratulations.



REEVE BRANDON — KICKS OFF KIN RAFFLE

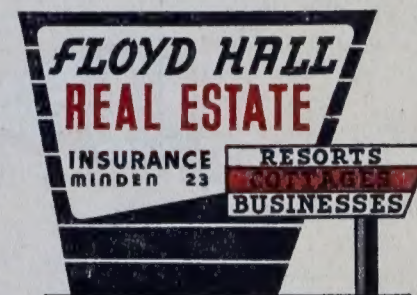
Pictured above is Kinsmen President, Les Northey making the first sale of the Kinsmen raffle to Reeve Charles "Slim" Brandon. Mr. Brandon said, "I am delighted to start the ball rolling, on this project, and wish the Kinsmen Club the best of success on this effort".

KINSMEN HAVE SPECIAL RAFFLE — PROCEEDS FOR COMMUNITY WORK

If you support the Kinsmen on their raffle, you could win a \$1000, but if nothing goes in your pocket, you can be sure that the money is well spent on community and welfare work.

The statement above is what you might hear over the next couple of months, for the Kinsmen of Minden have a special raffle going. Fifty dollars will be drawn every month on the eighth draw One Thousand Dollars will be drawn. All you have to do is write out eight post dated \$2.00 cheques, and you will have a chance on all draws, and could be a lucky winner. The odds are certainly in your favour, for there are only four hundred tickets sold. The first draw is to be made on October 19 — but all tickets must be sold.

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News and Views

from the Minister's Study

by DAVID W. STAPLES

After about two years of writing it, I feel that I must bring my column to a close with this issue of the paper. I wish to express my thanks to the editor, Mr. Greir, for the opportunity of contributing an article each week and for the freedom which he has given me to put forward my views on a wide variety of topics. Apart from the occasional comments, some favourable and some otherwise, I have little way of knowing the value of the column, but I do know that it has always been INTERESTING.

At the time that I began I was urged not to make this another sermon. It was good advice and I have tried to heed it. As well as using it to report some of the many activities taking place in the churches of the Minden-Carnarvon Pastoral Charge, I have sought to use the column to get people thinking about Christian responsibility toward different community issues. I have a deep conviction that unless the churches as a part of the community are not involved in current social problems and decisions they might as well be labelled "Museums". I have never sought to express an official position of United Churches in the area, but rather as an individual who happens to be a minister. It is up to each person to think through the implications of the Christian faith in a particular situation and act accordingly as they see fit. It is my hope that I have been able to stimulate such thought and discussion.

During the two years, the column has from time to time evoked the odd abusive letter, but always these came from one, "Anonymous" and were dismissed without any loss of sleep, for the poor fellow seemed a bit addled anyway. There have been humorous situations too. On one occasion, a local business man whose work involves him with the churches of the charge periodically and with whom I had had a slight difference of opinion, through one of our elders warned me that if I dared to mention anything about the incident in one of these articles he would sue me. Knowing him as I did, I wouldn't have bothered to waste a paragraph on the matter. Then last summer, when I asked a few questions through the column, a prominent politician from a neighbouring community tried to find out from some of the local church officials if they knew whether I had "proof" about the matters which I was raising in my questions. The comical part was that this came after I had received a very strong assurance from the horse's mouth that there was nothing whatever to conceal.

Even though the Tuesday deadline each week seemed to be difficult to meet for these articles, I will miss doing them and hope that some of the other clergymen may carry on in their own particular style. As I go to serve the Victory Harbour-Penetang Charge as of the first of July I will be having the opportunity of doing some radio broadcasts about every six weeks from the Midland Station.

As I end this last article I want to thank Mr. John Twist, our student minister, for writing in my place these past two weeks. I believe we are most fortunate in having such an able young man placed in our area for the summer and particularly I wish to commend the young people to the group which he is counselling each Tuesday evening in the Carnarvon Christian Education Centre. While attending the Bay of Quinte Conference in Kingston last week I learned that the Rev. James E. Cargo of Welcome, Ontario has accepted a call to become Minister of this Charge and will be taking over his duties here the first of July.

SIDEWALK ON MAIN STREET NEARING COMPLETION

The face lifting, Minden is going through on the main street, over the past two weeks is nearing completion.

Elwood Baldwin Construction Co., has had to battle wet weather in laying the sidewalks, that are going to make a marked improvement.

Council engaged Baldwin Construction Co. to repair the sidewalks at a cost of \$3,627.60. The new sidewalk starts at Crest Hardware and continues down to the Minden Furniture Store, it takes in an area of some 3,864 square feet.

CELEBRATES 84TH BIRTHDAY

On Thursday May 26th, Miss Ida M. Noice celebrated her 84th Birthday, and a party was held in her honour by friends and relatives.

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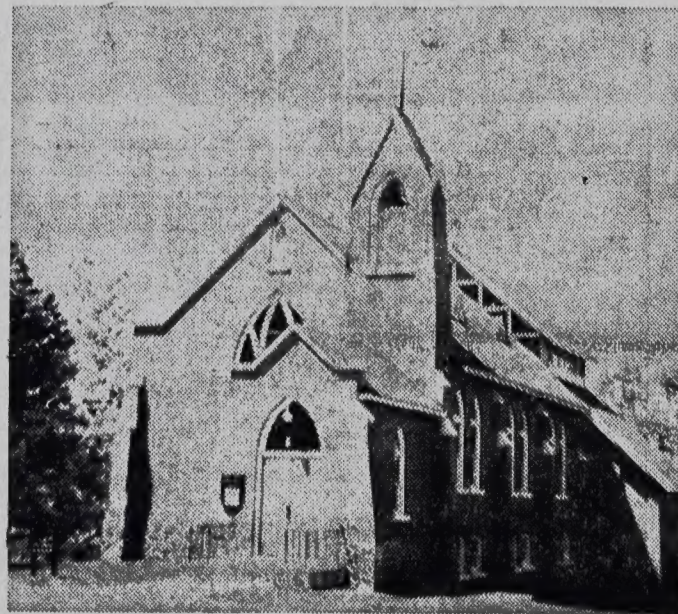
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KIDS LIKE A FESTIVAL



Shown above are some children at the Minden May Festival a week ago. Children of course enjoy a Festival to the limit. Libby Griffiths can be seen in the background, she was on the job throughout the week end selling balloons for the skating club of Minden. Everyone had a good time, as can be seen by the enthusiasm shown by the children.

TROUT PLANTING BY DEPARTMENT HATCHERIES

Each year suitable waters of this district are stocked with yearling trout raised in Department hatcheries. About twenty thousand to thirty thousand Rainbow Trout, one hundred thousand Brook Trout, forty to sixty thousand Lake Trout are distributed annually in the District, says the Department of Lands and Forests.

To be suitable, waters must be: Accessible to the public; Capable of sustaining the species planted; Inadequately stocked by natural reproduction.

Half of the northern lakes are planted one year, the other half the next year.

Streams and any body of water receiving the larger yearlings must be stocked by truck. Over half of the 265 waters planted receive air drops. One air crew (pilot and Fisheries Technician) handle the Brook Trout for several districts while another crew handle the Lake Trout. These two species are planted in the spring and the work is now nearly finished.



A VERY ACTIVE GRANDMOTHER

Edith Bentham of Highland Creek, Toronto, a 60-year-old grandmother, who holds the title of Champion Go-Kart Racing Grandmother of North America, shows her form on a Go-Kart at the May Festival, here a week ago. She recently beat out 35 male competitors in a 150 mile endurance race, in the USA.

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THE PEOPLE WHO SELL OUR PAPER

This week we would like to pay tribute to the merchants, who sell The Progress from over their counter. In the newspaper business, every publisher depends greatly on the merchant to sell his product, whether it be a daily edition or a weekly paper.

Selling a local paper in a community such as Minden, the merchant serves two purposes. First of all, in doing so, he is promoting the paper for the publisher, who in turn is trying to promote business for all advertisers, which means business for the area. The second function he serves, is one which is not noticed by everyone, however it still exists. When a paper is sold to a visitor or a summer resident, traveller or stranger, the merchant is helping to promote the area, for when the purchaser leaves, he takes a little piece of Minden with him. It is always hoped, that someday this small item which is thrown in the car, and travels out of the county with the buyer, might entice him to return again.

Our small paper travels many miles — it covers a great many towns and cities throughout Ontario — it is sent to Quebec, the prairie provinces, the west coast, Northwest territories, the United States, and even finds its way to Europe. However, the store sales are more important to the advertisers, and the community in general than all those leaving the county. For it is these papers, which find themselves in the hands of our visitors and strangers, who are seeking some sort of information, which is needed at the time the paper is bought.

We think the merchants who carry our paper are doing a fine job, not only for us, but the community as well — we would like to say "thank you", to the following people who have been selling our paper over the past year, they are as follows: — Lorne Coburn, at Minden Drug Store, Sam Welch, at Welch's General Store, Nichol's Drugs in Haliburton, the Highlander Restaurant in Haliburton, Suter's Store, RR 2 Haliburton, Brohm's Variety Store in Haliburton, Garry Agnew in Wilberforce, Burton's Store in Carnarvon, Stinson's Store, RR 2 Minden, John Down's Store, RR 2 Minden, Stiver's Store RR 2 Minden, Bill's Store in Ingoldsby, Craig's Coffee Bar Minden, Sun Valley, RR 2 Minden and the Wagon Wheel Motel.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Reminiscence Of The 24th Of May And Minden 1965-66

by Libby Griffiths

Some fireworks burst into glorious displays, colors and streams, some sparks and die, and some just can't be lit. Is this not true of a great many projects which have been started in Minden this past year?

Under the glorious displays, the Senior Citizens Home, The Winter Carnival, The May Festival, hold their place, not to forget the Nursery School and the new sidewalks on the main street in town.

The second type of firecracker — those that spark and die. The school projects fit nicely in here. Under the Provincial Law, the School Board, which is elected by the people, has the power to do as they please, without consulting the teachers and the taxpayers. This rule applies to many things outside of school boards and outside of Minden. But is it not too bad that the people who must work, live, or be connected with new projects, are very often not notified that new projects are under discussion. This was brought home to me quite strongly, when entering the "New" Powder Room of a favourite hotel. The decor was most chic, but, gone were the vanity stools, the coat hooks, and the spaces between the wash basins to lay your gloves and purse. The soap dispensers which came out from the wall didn't even reach the basins. The attendant spent her time mopping up sticky soap from the vanity. I commended the color scheme, but mentioned that I missed the chairs to drop my things. Her reply, "Too bad that the people who work in the place can't have a say in the design." How true!

Getting back to the sparks that died. The kindergarten has caused a great deal of discussion. The cost of such a room is terrific, then there is the equipment which must go in it, and lastly because of the rural area, the transportation.

I am not against this project in any way, but for those who wish kindergarten for their children why not set up a private one under supervision of the Board of Education in a church building or municipal auditorium, until this area is financially sound, to build and equip a public one.

In some rural areas of the USA they have day kindergartens. The little children are bussed in with the others and spend the entire day at school. I am not suggesting that this be done here, but it is worth thinking about. The program is similar to that of the home — child plays, free and supervised, has the odd snack,

watches TV, has a nap on couch in a darkened room, and enjoys a hot lunch.

Speaking of lunches. There are 357 children in the Minden school. Of this 357, 235 are bus kids. Where do they eat their lunch — at their desks, and worst still, the procedure of eating, visiting the washroom and putting outside clothes on must be done in fifteen minutes. What Minden School needs is a lunch room. In some of Metro's public schools gyms are used as lunch rooms. Tables and benches are hooked to the wall and then let down at lunch period. These are all rubber tipped so not to harm the floor. Children are required to remove their shoes. They have half an hour to eat and are supervised by a paid senior citizen who has the time to see that each child eats what is in their lunch pail.

Our teachers, and any teacher needs that hour at noon time for peace and quiet to think, relax and plan the afternoon program. When lunch period is over the benches and tables are pushed up and fastened, and presto, a gym again.

The new addition to the Minden School is two class rooms, a Board room, a gymnasium, with stage and two change rooms.

The new gym is 47' X 51' X 16' high with a stage of 47' X 12' and the two change rooms.

The minimum size of a volleyball court (a public school game) is 60' long, 30' wide and a minimum height of 20 feet, when played inside — conclusion — no volleyball in new gym.

The minimum size of a Bad-

minton court — length, 44', width 20', for doubles 17' for singles — minimum height, 24 feet — Conclusion — gym not high enough for this game.

In other words the new gym is to be used for exercises, meetings, and as an auditorium for plays and concerts. There are already two such municipal auditoriums in this town, not to mention the senior citizens auditorium and the numerous church halls. Could it not be possible for once, just once to use a little more foresight in this new so called gymnasium, rather than the usual hindsight?

Now for the fire cracker that just died. Guess this is the artificial ice. There are three stone walls ahead of the person who wishes to promote this. Firstly, those people who are opposed to artificial ice. Secondly, those who wish artificial ice in the present arena grounds, and thirdly, those who wish artificial ice in a new arena surrounded by recreational facilities for young and old in another location.

Both skating club and the hockey club like Haliburton's good sure ice, and also their facilities. Haliburton likes our support. When Minden has ice we will use it. Perhaps this is a defeatist attitude, but as a learned gentleman once said, "God give you strength and courage to change that which must be changed and to forget that which can not be changed."

And so the fireworks are over for another season. Let next year's glorious display be bigger and better — and let there be no duds!

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SENIOR CITIZEN'S HOME NEWS

with RALPH BANKE

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS.

During the past several weeks we have received a few letters and questions concerning various details and practices in HYLAND CREST Home — we will try to answer them this week, even though most of them have been explained in detail in previous articles.

How many beds per room? Bed-rooms are two bed or four bed — several single bed-rooms are provided for special purposes such as in the infirmary or sick-bay.

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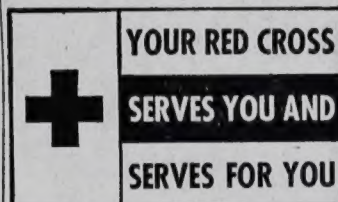
Can you give away all the money and property you have before entering the Home? This is hardly fair to either the Resident or the County — why should the parents work hard for many years — saving for their retirement and then come into the Home with nothing but their pension cheque and rely on the County and the Province to support them? If we find money or property has been given away prior to application to enter the Home — we will approach the children or relatives receiving these gifts and will require them to guarantee a monthly payment to the Home. This will be done before a Resident is admitted to the Home and will be a condition of their admission agreement.

Is your history traced before you can come into the Home? The only tracing of history which may be done would concern money or property as in the above question or possibly details of medical history which would aid our Home Physician in determining activities especially in the case of one who has suffered a stroke.

Is all of your mail read before you get it? Why should we? Mail is personal and we have better things to do than to waste time reading through mail which doesn't concern us.

We hope that — contrary to the attitude of many — we will be able to eventually get across the feeling to all that HYLAND CREST

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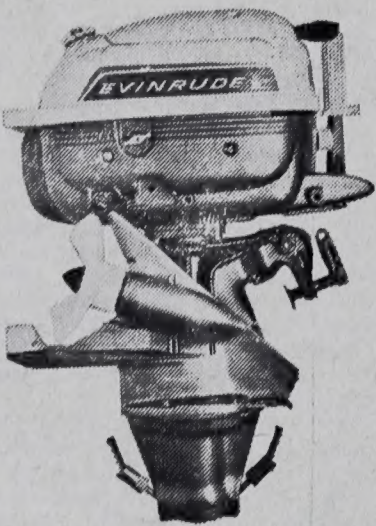
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There are a great many more annoyances the travelling public have to put up with. If you've had any experience and would like to pass them on, please write in and let us know.

While doing some research on another circle tour for the "Outdoorsman" magazine we stopped in at Sir Sam's Inn, Eagle Lake for a coffee break. This is an excellent spot to relax and make life worth the living. In the past two week-ends there have been about fifty odd planes using Sir Sam's airstrip for "fly-ins" this is the coming thing and the Inn is one of the few places in Canada that the planes can land within five minutes walk of food, accommodation and grog. There are several more plane reservations in the future.

Our hosts for our short break were Ray and Lynn Stanford and a very affable couple they are. Ray is a former professional Ball and Hockey player and is well-equipped for his dealings with the public.

Bill Payne of the "Modern Electric Company" is a new member of the "Fenwick Finch Coffee Club". While Bill didn't buy us the coffee directly he left a credit at Craig's Snack Bar — which we weren't long in making use of.

The latest member of "The Club" is no less a personage than the Editor and Publisher of the Progress — this came as an agreeable surprise as Al crowds me pretty close when it comes to picking up checks. As Jackie Gleason would say — "H-O-O-W SWEEETTTTTT it is!"

You learn something every day. Our "Cheerful Chemist", Lorne Coburn supplied me with a "gimmick" the other day which lent itself to a bit of a practical jokery the past week-end.

Once more we are out of space — we'll tell you about Lorne's gimmick next week.

Sitting in the bar at Sir Sam's Inn I couldn't help but think of this quotation from Omar Khayyam as I quaffed a glass of milk. "While you live, Drink! For once dead, you never shall return."

So, until next week — drive carefully, the tourists are upon us.

Fenwick

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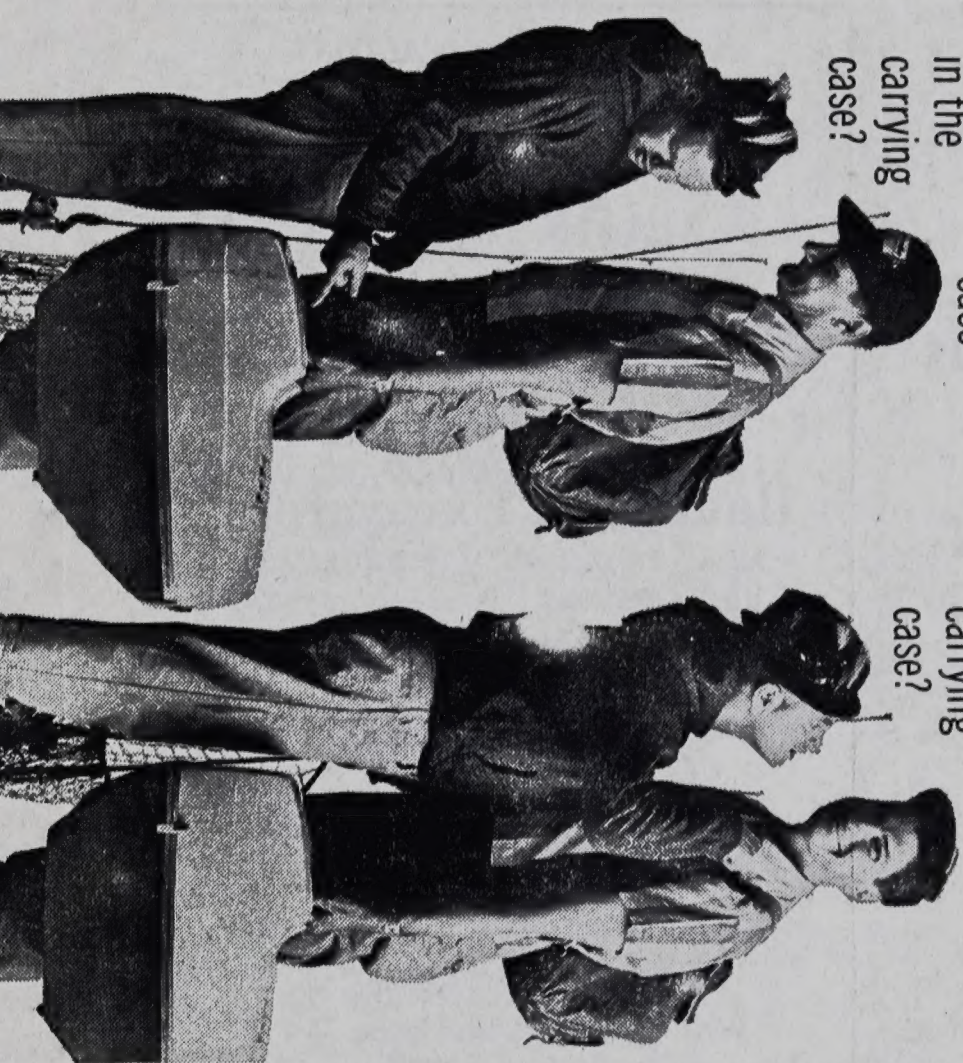
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**BA STATION HERE IN MINDEN
ANNOUNCES WINNERS**

Mr. George Conway has announced the winners of the reopening lucky draw held recently at the B.A. Service Centre, here in Minden. They are as follows: Transistor Mantel Radio, Mrs. Verna Kernochan, Coffee Percolator, Mrs. Illa Lytle; Portable Hair Dryer, Mrs. Maude Campbell; 3 Radar Lights, Dick Kirkwood, Deac Jackson, Roy Horsley; 3 Car Washes, Russell Lewis, Mrs. Ida Sawyer, Ali Richardson; 3 Lubrications, Lewis Lemieux, Mrs. Doug Eastman, John Lister.

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INGOLDSBY BOWLING LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

Pictured above are the Ingolsby Mixed Bowling league Champions. Making the presentation of the W & A Gilby trophy is Mr. Ray Craig, a representative of that firm. Receiving the trophies, from L to R are: Dusty Sutherland, Phyllis Baker, Bill Walker, Marnie Swann, Reta Croft, and Cecil Yearwood.

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To continue with service — or the lack of it. Visit over the week end with my good friend A. E. "Bert" Bennett of Rosedale. Bert has more years than he cares to remember dealing with the public and he knows whereof he speaks. He brought up an obvious item. I discussed it with several others and I must admit I have run across it quite frequently myself but didn't give it much thought. Maybe you've had the same experience.

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CENTENNIAL PROJECT

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The idea of this would be a Centennial project for this Municipality.

HI NEWS

with

Dianne Earle

During the past week the school corridors were plastered with election posters. The campaign managers for the 14 nominees for Student Council really worked hard.

Tuesday afternoon the candidates presented some very effective speeches to the student body, and on Friday the big vote took place. So we'll say goodbye to last year's Students' Council and thank them for the good job they've done.

Good luck and congratulations to the Students' Council of 1966-67.

President, Bonnie Lee Prentice; Vice-President, Stuart Brandon; Secretary, Ann McKay; Treasurer, Jim Carroll; G.A.A., Arlene Lynn; B.A.A. John Robinson; Social Director, Dave Stonehouse.

Let's really make it a good year, next year — and let's really do something worth "bragging" about.

On Wednesday afternoon the students of the first Driver Education course were presented with their diplomas by guest speaker, Corporal Armatage from Peterborough. The members of the second course this year have now completed their course also, so we've two whole classes of good drivers, now we hope.

Good luck on your exams tomorrow kids — I guess this is the end!

\$2,500 DAMAGE IN TWO-CAR CRASH

Three people were injured in a two-car crash which resulted in \$2,500 damage on Highway 35, three miles north of Cobocok, Saturday evening.

Police said the drivers of the two cars, 37 year old Douglas McClure of Simcoe, 22 year old Robert Seabrook of Toronto and a passenger in the McClure car William North of Cobocok were injured in the crash.

Cobocok OPP said the McClure car had been northbound on Highway 35 when the car went out of control on a curve, veered across the highway and was in collision with the Seabrook vehicle, which had been southbound.

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LADIES SPORTS CLUB TO HOLD MEETING

On Monday, June 6th, at 8 p.m. the Minden Ladies Sports Club will hold a meeting in the Municipal building. The ladies of the club are urged to attend.

Everyone who is interested is welcome to attend.

W.I. HELD MAY MEETING

The members and guests of the W.I. held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Albert Pogue recently.

The president Mrs. W. McArthur reported that the crab apple trees had been planted by the Dept. of Lands and Forests' workers and had been staked by Earl Hewitt. Also the council are very pleased to accept the flag from the branch.

The report of the District Annual meeting was given by Mrs. A. Lunham and Mrs. A. Kernohan. Mrs. Fairfield gave the history of St. Paul's Anglican Church on its 100th birthday, and also the PRO report showing a very active and rewarding year.

The secretary, Mrs. M. Sears, gave a report of the bus trip and told of plans completed, with a W.I. catering to the luncheon. She also read the requirements to becoming a Canadian Citizen as Citizenship Day was May 20th.

Visitors to the local hospital before the next meeting are Mrs. L. Cox and Mrs. W. McArthur. The June meeting will be a picnic at the Rotary Park, weather permitting, with a pot luck lunch as usual.

The meeting closed and all enjoyed the lunch served by the hostess and the committee.

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BUS TRIP

On May 26th the members and friends of Minden W.I. had their annual bus trip. They left at 8 a.m. and arrived in Lindsay, where they stopped for coffee, then on to Brampton. Here they were welcomed by the members of Derry West W.I., who catered the delicious luncheon in the Blue Flame Room at the Consumer Gas Building.

After this the bus took all members on a tour. Dividing in groups with guides, they were shown over the extensive building and shown how all the products are completed. Then they were served tea and cookies in the cafeteria and each received a sample case of Lipton Company Products.

Next was a visit at the New Airport where the planes could be seen leaving and arriving, and the spacious lounge and other conveniences provided for travellers.

Then they were driven across MC and to the Cedarbrae Plaza for shopping and dinner. The driver, Mac Algar was very pleasant and obliging at all times.

The return trip was especially lovely as they saw the setting sun and the fine scenery of our own part of the province.

KINMOUNT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY ELECT OFFICERS

The Galway and Somerville Horticultural Society met at the home of Mrs. James Simpson, Tuesday evening, May 24th. Mrs. Simpson presided. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave her report. Many items of business were discussed and the election of officers was held.

The officers for the year 1966-67 are as follows: President: Mrs. James Simpson; Vice-President: Mrs. D. McNamara; Second Vice-President: Mrs. A. A. Williamson; Sec. Treasurer: Mrs. Art Scott;

The directors for this year are: Mrs. T. McGrath, Mrs. J. Peacock, Mrs. E. Morrison, Mrs. O. Barr, and Mrs. I. McIlwain. The directors for next year are Mrs. S. Crego, Mrs. H. Daxon, Mrs. H. Wilsin, Mrs. R. Stone, and Mrs. A. Jackson.

The auditors are A. A. Williamson and Wm. Scott.

The society is giving box plants as premiums this year. A drive is being made for new members.

The meeting then adjourned and lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. J. Simpson and Mrs. Clark Simpson.

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The Nations Business

by Wm. C. Scott, M.P.

In the fourth edition of R. MacGregor Dawson's leading work "The Government of Canada", which is a standard text on the Canadian Government system, the following sentence appears,—"The most serious handicap of the Canadian Cabinet as an executive body has long been its excessive size."

This week Parliament debated a government bill which, if passed, will increase still further the size of the cabinet as an administrative body, and may well lead to an increase in its size as a decision making group. The Bill provides for the setting up of the new departments of Manpower, Registrar-General, and President of the Treasury Board. It also affects changes in the responsibilities of several existing ministers, particularly in the areas of Indian Affairs and Resources.

In the opening speech of the debate, Prime Minister Pearson indicated that passage of the bill will not mean an immediate increase in the size of the Cabinet, though he admitted such an increase could take place. More likely though is the possibility of an "inner Cabinet" modelled along the lines followed in Britain. There, all members of the Privy Council do not sit in at cabinet meetings but are summoned when matters affecting their departments are being discussed. In fact, this situation has developed in an informal way in Canada, Mr. Pearson told the House, and it has not been too effective. He suggested that further changes may be made to formalize this procedure.

Opposition spokesmen hit hardest at the proposed division of the duties of the Minister of Justice into three departments. As it is constituted at present his department, in addition to acting as the "law firm" of the government, is responsible for reformatories, prisons and penitentiaries, the National Parole Board and the RCMP. It also looks after matters relating to combines, mergers, monopolies, patents, bankruptcy and certain other matters of administration of laws affecting commercial operations. Under the proposed changes the Department of Justice will be stripped of most of its administrative duties, some of which will go to the newly created Department of the Registrar-General and others to the Department of the Solicitor-General. Following a spirited debate second reading was given to the bill and the House began consideration of its detailed proposals in Committee. It is expected that several amendments to the bill will be proposed at the committee stage and more discussion is likely before it is finally passed.

Strong opposition to a proposed increase in tolls on the Saint Lawrence Seaway came from all sides of the House this week as the Commons set aside its regular business to discuss this subject. The opportunity for a debate came on a motion by Reg Cantelon (PCKindersley) who told the House that a 10 per cent increase in tolls would mean additional costs for western farmers and result in a \$5 million per year reduction in income for them. The government attempted to prevent debate on the topic, but once Mr. Speaker Lamoureaux ruled the discussion in order Liberal backbenchers joined in the call for the prevention of toll increases. Some members went so far as to advocate the complete abolition of tolls on the Seaway, arguing that this would help Canadian industry. Shortly before the Parliamentary debate hearings concluded in Ottawa on the proposed toll hike. Most of those who presented their views at the hearing argued against an increase.

Under present arrangements the tolls are used to cover the operating costs of the seaway, and to pay off the debt charges incurred when the Seaway was built. In

the parliamentary debate and in presentations at the hearing, strong arguments were made against the use of toll monies to defray costs of financing the project. Any decision on changes in the tolls must be given Cabinet approval before it can be made. Many Members of Parliament have contended that before any change is made Parliament should be given another opportunity to put forward their views on the matter. As yet the government has refused to commit itself on whether this opportunity will be given.

COUNCIL HOLDS SPECIAL MEETING

On May 25th, Anson, Hindon, and Minden Council held a special meeting, for the purpose of opening tenders on the Soyer's Lake Bridge, which will go under construction.

The council has admitted the tender of J. Faucet Construction of 4,023, to the Department of Highways for approval. The total cost of construction is estimated at approximately \$12,000.

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